

Listing of the Claims:

1. – 7. (Canceled)

8. (Withdrawn) A method of billing for providing access to a one or more IP addresses associated with an entity, said method comprising the steps of:

establishing a communication link between a network terminal and the Internet;

restricting access of said network terminal to a one or more IP addresses on the Internet, said one or more addresses predetermine by an entity, wherein said entity is associated with said one or more IP addresses;

monitoring said access by said network terminal to said one or more IP addresses;

and

billing said entity a fee based upon said access.

9. (Withdrawn) The method of billing of Claim 8, wherein said step of monitoring said access comprises monitoring quantity of hits from said network terminal on said one or more IP addresses.

10. (Withdrawn) The method of billing of Claim 8, wherein said step of monitoring said access comprises monitoring duration of access of said network terminal to said one or more IP addresses.

11. (Withdrawn) The method of billing of Claim 8, wherein said step of monitoring said access comprises monitoring quantity of data transferred between said network terminal and said one or more IP addresses.

12. (Withdrawn) The method of billing of Claim 8, wherein said subset of network addresses comprises a single IP addresses.

13. **(Withdrawn)** The method of billing of Claim 8, wherein said communication link is by wireless transmission.

14. – 21. **(Canceled)**

22. **(Currently Amended)** A method comprising the steps of:

a) providing access to a user terminal for a user to connect to a gated network access system of an internet service provider (ISP) via a network;

b) receiving a request at the gated network access system via the network from the user terminal to access a website server ~~from the user terminal at the gated network access system via the network~~;

c) restricting access of ~~[[to]]~~ the user terminal to a set of IP addresses associated with the website server at the gated network access system;

d) measuring usage of the set of IP addresses of the website via the user terminal with a measuring device of the ISP; and

e) charging an owner or operator of the website server ~~with~~ using a ~~[[the]]~~ billing system of the ISP for the connection to the website server via the gated network access system, the owner or operator of the website server not being the user of the user terminal.

23. **(Previously Presented)** A method as claimed in Claim 22 wherein the owner or operator of the website server is a shipping entity for shipping letters or packages, and the request relates to generating a shipping label, the method further comprising the steps of:

f) receiving the request at the website via the gated network access system;

g) generating an electronic shipping label via the website server in response to the request; and

h) transmitting the shipping label to the user terminal via the gated network access system.

24. **(Previously Presented)** A method as claimed in Claim 22 wherein the owner or operator of the website server is a shipping entity for shipping letters or packages, and the request relates to estimating delivery time, the method further comprising the steps of:

- f) receiving the request at the website via the gated network access system;
- g generating a web page indicating the estimated delivery time via the website server in response to the request; and
- h) transmitting the web page indicating the estimated delivery time to the user terminal via the gated network access system.

25. **(Previously Presented)** A method as claimed in Claim 22 wherein the owner or operator of the website server is a shipping entity for shipping letters or packages, and the request relates to tracking a package, the method further comprising the steps of:

- f) receiving the request at the website via the gated network access system;
- g generating a web page indicating the location of the package via the website server in response to the request; and
- h) transmitting the web page indicating the location of the package to the user terminal via the gated network access system.

26. **(New)** The method as claimed in Claim 22 wherein the owner or operator of the website provides the user with the user terminal.